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Parsonage Papers, No. 7.  
By REV. DR. KILLGORE, Pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, Alexandria, Va.  
THE WOMAN OF SAMARIA AND HER DIVINE TEACHER.—John iv.—9, 10.

II. THE PERSON TAUGHT.  
1. The Woman of Samaria.—The Jews and Samaritans were greatly divided—a spirit of animosity existed between them. This was manifested both in their religious and secular affairs. They worshipped in separate temples, and would not have communion with each other. Hence the interrogation, "How is it that thou, being a Jew, askest drink of me, which am a woman of Samaria?" For the Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans. It appears that the Samaritans denied the purity of the religious rites at Jerusalem, and claimed superiority for their own temple and mode of worship. This greatly irritated and inflamed the hatred of the Jews, and led them to utter the most awful imprecations against the Samaritan people. And is there not too much of this spirit existing at the present day? What exclusiveness! What bigotry and intolerance! What rivalry and antipathy between different sections of the church! What claims are advanced for pre-eminence on the ground of legality or antiquity! How unlike the spirit of Christianity! Sectarianism would exclude from its attention, affection, and sympathy, all that are not included within its pale. Such a spirit is discountenanced by the Saviour. He did not refuse to eat with publicans—the Roman tax-gatherers—a class of men detested by the Jews. Here we find him conversing with a woman of Samaria on the most important subject—the salvation of her soul—with a view to her eternal welfare. O that this benevolent spirit were more extensively prevalent! What unity would then be displayed! What happy families would then be witnessed! Universal philanthropy is the glory of Christianity. Its prominent traits are "peace on earth, good will towards men."

2. A formal professor.—She was self-righteous. She professed to worship God after the manner of her ancestors—adopting their customs, and attending their house of prayer. She was no innovator; but, belonged to the ancient church on Mount Gerizim. "Our fathers worshipped in this mountain," this was enough for her—here she took her stand—this was her virtue and passport to heaven. And does not the same delusion extensively prevail at the present day? Are there not many who can give us no better reason for the hope they possess than that advanced by this woman? They are regular attendants at a place of worship; they go through a series of formal acts and observances pertaining to the externals of religion; they plead antiquity and the customs of their parents in support of their profession just as though religion could be inherited from their ancestors, like certain estates. There is a great danger of the children of pious parents resting in this delusion. The parents being religious, is not enough to ensure the safety and happiness of the children. Religion is a personal thing; and must be sought by repentance and faith. We are to "strive to enter in at the straight gate." We are responsible for our own acts. Outward performances are of no avail if the heart be unrenowned.  
How necessary is self-examination! "Examine yourselves whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves, know ye not your own selves, how Jesus Christ is in you except ye be reprobat?" This is of such importance that it demands the attention of all. To be deceived in an affair of such consequence as the salvation of the soul is most alarming. To calculate on being in the way to life eternal, and at the same time to be lusting down to eternal death, is most awful to contemplate. And then, how lamentable, if the mistake remain undiscovered until it is too late to be remedied. The very possibility should arouse our solicitude, and send us to the closet with the Psalmist's supplication, "Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts: and see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.—The grand jury of Orange county, North Carolina, have made a report, in which they present the condition of the property of the old University of North Carolina, founded in 1776, in which they say:

"Only one member of the faculty, the president, remains, and that the woodland of the college is being badly plundered, and the college campus, one of the most beautiful in the U. S. is depredated upon, and that cattle wander through the college and divine service were wont to be held, is now often used as a place for the vilest purposes. The libraries, which belonged to the literary societies, formed by the students, are often invaded and valuable books abstracted." The Raleigh Sentinel enumerates among the trustees under whose direction the spoliation has been made, an ex-member of Congress, now an employee of the U. S. Senate, a radical State judge, the ex-adjutant general of Governor Holden, J. C. Abbott, late claiming a seat in the U. S. Senate, and other lights of the reconstructed government of North Carolina.

CURIOUS CASE.—It is a remarkable romance of crime that has been developed through the contentions of two rival aspirants for the U. S. Senatorship in Nevada, John P. Jones and William Sharon, the former of whom is the Superintendent of the Crown Point Mines, and the latter the agent of the Bank of California, at Virginia City. Jones publicly asserts that Sharon has attempted to cause the Yellow Jacket mine to be set on fire in 1869. There was a conflagration in the mines at that time, which burned for several days, and caused the death of some forty men. Sharon denies having originated the accusation, but admits that it was made to him through a voluntary confession by one of Jones' agents, and he believes it to be true. On the top of this comes the man whom Sharon gives as the author of the story and declares that Sharon induced him to tell it, and that it is false. The people are greatly excited over these charges, and the general belief is that while the criminal cannot certainly be settled upon, yet there was certainly an intentional crime involved in the great disaster.—Balt. American.

## DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

### TAKE

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Magnificent stock of  
HOSIERY AND HANDKERCHIEFS,  
the largest quantities and the best goods for the least money ever offered in this city.

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CHEAP IN THE  
RETAIL DEPARTMENT OF  
GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE,  
No. 76 King street.  
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### LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.—Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Wm. D. Massey, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make payment, and all to whom said estate is indebted, to present the same for settlement.  
H. K. ELLERY, Administrator.

Parties having claims against the estate aforesaid can present the same to O. C. Whittlesey, 132 Duke street.

ARLINGTON HOME SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES,  
No. 69 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va.  
(House formerly occupied by Mr. Zeph English)  
Miss ELIZABETH P. RIVERS,  
Principal.

Refers to: Rev. J. J. Bullock, D.D., and Col. C. F. Suttle, Alexandria, Va.; Anderson Armistead, Judge Wm. F. Giles, Mrs. George Patterson, John S. Tyson, and C. Hughes Armistead of Baltimore.

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Having taken the agency of a large Eastern Bag Manufacturing Co., we shall keep constantly on hand a good assortment of GRAIN SACKS, which we offer to the trade on the most favorable terms.  
M. ELDREDGE & CO.,  
No. 4 South wharves.

LIVERPOOL SALT.  
2000 sacks LIVERPOOL GROUND ALUM,  
300 sacks EVANS' FINE SALT,  
Brigs and full.

For sale at lowest market prices by  
my 7  
HOOK & JOHNSTON.

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WM. F. BROOKES. GRO. D. BROOKES.  
W. M. F. BROOKES & BROTHER,  
Dealers in  
FINE AND FANCY GROCERIES,  
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Pine Teas and Coffees.  
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NO. 11 NORTH ROYAL STREET,  
Have just received a large and carefully selected stock of  
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(No old stock.)

Japans, pound, half do. and quar. do. packages.  
" very fine, \$1 10  
" five lb chests, superior quality, 1 00  
" fine, 1 25  
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" superior, 1 10  
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Imperial, extra fine, 1 50  
" superior, 1 10  
" fair, 0 80  
Young Hyson, extra fine, 1 50  
English Breakfast, 1 30  
" superior, 1 10  
Gunpowder, extra fine, 1 75  
" superior, 1 50  
" good, 1 25

We are confident that the quality of our Teas cannot be surpassed, and are willing to have them compared with any in the market.

We have everything in the FINE GROCERY LINE.  
SHELF GOODS of all kinds, fresh stock.  
FRENCH CANDY, guaranteed to be pure.

The best brands of Domestic and Imported CIGARS and TOBACCO.

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CHINESE TEA COMPANY,  
No. 11 North Royal street,  
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jan 27-1f

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Dealers in  
CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS,  
ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALE AND BROWN STOUT; ALSO EASTERN AND POTOMAC HERRING AND MACKEREL.

NOS. 106 AND 170 KING STREET,  
(Washington Hall Building.)  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Orders promptly filled.  
jan 18-1f

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WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER,  
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nov 22-1f Alexandria, Va.

### J. C. MILBURN.

Wholesale and Retail  
GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
NEW STORE,  
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Alexandria, Va.

The proximity of this store to the Market House, "the centre of trade," will enable me to obtain good prices for Flour, Grain and Country Produce consigned to my care.

Consignments and orders for Groceries respectfully solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention.  
oct 20-1f

JOHN HARLOW. M. B. HARLOW.  
HARLOW & BROTHER,  
GROCERS, LIQUOR, FEED, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
Northwest corner Royal and Cameron streets  
Alexandria, Virginia.

Special attention given to the sale of Country Produce. We most respectfully call the attention of the trade to our large and splendid stock of goods, consisting of Wines and Liquors, Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Breakfast Pieces, Butter, Lard, Cheese, Corn Meal, Crackers, Syrup, Molasses, Cod Fish, Mackerel, Herring, Wood-ware, Baskets, Spices, Cigars, Tobacco, Canned Goods, Coal Oil, &c., and every other article usually found in a first class wholesale and retail establishment. Orders from the country respectfully solicited, and all orders shall receive our prompt attention.  
mar 20-1f

RICHARD W. AVERY. F. J. DAVIDSON  
AVERY & DAVIDSON  
Dealers in  
CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, WINES, AND LIQUORS,  
No. 226 King street, corner of Alfred,  
jan 14-1f Alexandria, Va.

### CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES

—AT—  
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NO. 76 KING STREET.

A LOT OF NEW CARRIAGES RECEIVED EVERY WEEK.

BEST, MOST STYLISH AND CHEAPEST  
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Every Carriage warranted substantial, and any portion of an old Carriage can be furnished immediately.

CHAS. W. GREEN,  
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WILLIAM MURRAY,  
MERCHANT TAILOR,  
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Has just received his  
SPRING & SUMMER ASSORTMENT OF CLOTHS,  
CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS.

He invites his friends and customers to call and examine his stock.  
mh 22-1f

1872. SPRING TRADE. 1872.  
Plow Shares, Mould-boards, Land-sides, Hammered and Rolled Plow Plates, &c. A full and complete stock, at wholesale and retail.  
JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,  
No. 63 King street.

5 GROCER RUMFORD'S YEAST POWDER received and for sale by  
AVERY & DAVIDSON,  
226 King st., cor. Alfred.

CAROLINA RICE—1 tierce prime Rice received to-day by  
my 14 J. C. MILBURN.

## BOOTS AND SHOES.

### SPRING TRADE.

1872

### BOOTS & SHOES.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

74 KING STREET, 74  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

The subscriber has now on hand and is prepared to furnish by wholesale and retail one of the largest and best assorted stocks of

LADIES' GENTS' MISSES' BOYS' CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES.

of fine and coarse work, ever before offered for sale in this market, manufactured from the best material, and in the most durable manner, comprising a great variety of

NEW AND HANDSOME STYLES.

Also, a large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS,

suitable for the country trade, to which special attention is invited on the part of country merchants and farmers.

All in want will do well to call and examine my stock, which cannot be excelled in this or any market south of New York.

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No. 74 King street.

mar 16-1f

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187 King st., Alexandria, Va.

Dealers in HARDWARE, CUTLERY, Carpenters' Tools, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Door and Window Frames, Brackets, Mouldings, Balusters, of different patterns, and Newel Posts. A large stock of French and American Glass, double and single thick, of all sizes. Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Paint and White Wash Brushes, Lewis' Pure White Lead, and other brands of fine quality. Putty, Turpentine and Machine Oil. Also, Lime, of superior quality. Cement, Calced Plaster, Pitch and Felt for Roofing, &c. A large stock of Pugh's celebrated Car Augers, and other articles found in first class Builders' Furnishing establishments.

All orders for Lumber, Brick and all kinds of Building Material, promptly attended to.

Terms cash. feb 11-1f

ROBT. JAMIESON. A. M. CLARKE.  
JAMIESON & CLARKE,  
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PLANING MILLS, SASH, DOOR & BLIND FACTORY,  
Nos. 21 and 23 North Water street  
Dealers in  
DRESSED FLOORING AND WHITE PINE LUMBER.  
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VIRGINIA SASH, DOOR AND BLIND FACTORY AND PLANING MILL,  
Corner FAIRFAX AND QUEEN STREETS,  
Alexandria, Virginia.

Sashes, Doors, Blinds, Frames, Mouldings, Brackets, Newels, Balusters, and Mantel Cases.

constantly on hand at the Factory. Call and examine stock and prices.  
ap 8-1f

### NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

January 1st, 1872.  
I have associated with me as a manufacturer and dealer in  
my son,  
JAMES M. BRADLEY.

The business will, in future, be conducted under the name of  
C. C. BRADLEY & SON.

The new firm hopes to share a portion of the public patronage, and invites all to call and examine their fine and handsome assortment of

PARLOR SUITES,  
in Hair Cloth, Keys and Silk Brocade; Walnut and Oak Chamber Suites in every variety. We also have on hand several very beautiful inlaid Fancy Tables and Portable Writing Desks, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Washstands and Chairs of many styles.

Those in need of Furniture will do well to examine our stock before purchasing, as we are prepared to sell at very low figures.  
jan 8-1f

HAY, B. HOOMES. W. A. ASHBY.  
Late of Fredericksburg. Late of Baltimore

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FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.

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HOUMES, ASHBY, & CO.,  
109 cor. King and Pitt sts.

Salesmen—Eli H. Janney, Edwin T. Ashby, M. C. Grasty, W. A. Lane, R. Stuart Ashby.

J. L. GRIGG,  
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86 King street,  
Has opened a full line of first class goods for SPRING and SUMMER wear, consisting of FRENCH AND ENGLISH CLOTHS, CASSIMERES AND VESTINGS, imported expressly for the trade, to which he invites attention.  
ap 12-1y

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No. 65 Union street,  
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Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT AND CAST IRON FENCES, &c.

Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previous to the war.  
jan 20

PARASOLS AND SUN UMBRELLAS.

Just received a second supply of the above goods, which for cheapness and beauty are unsurpassed by any ever offered in this city.  
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VERY choice Roasted Mocha, Rio, Maricao and Java Coffee, for sale by  
CHINESE TEA COMPANY,  
No. 11 North Royal street,  
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MONEY TO LOAN.  
\$25,000 for 1, 2 and 3 years, on good real estate security. Enquire at this office.  
ap 27-1f RUMFORD'S YEAST POWDER received this day by [my 10] J. C. MILBURN.

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my 16 J. M. STEWART, King st.

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A good article as low as \$10. All the latest novelties in

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Nice Brussels, \$1.25 to \$1.50 per yd. Good quality Ingrain, 75 to \$1.00 per yd. Hemp Carpet, 25 per yd. Good Straw Matting, 25 per yd. Oil Cloths, in all widths, good 4-4, 50 per yd.

Remember the ARCADE,  
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N. B.—A trip to this establishment, which is but a short and pleasant walk from the ferry, will amply compensate purchasers.

Washington, ap 30-1m

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For fire, ship, house, farm, factory and irrigating purposes. It is the cheapest, most durable, reliable, simple and complete pump in use. The Agent is prepared to furnish the best local reference.

Send for Circular, which gives cut description, &c. Agency at WM. COGAN'S, ap 23-eodm 15 N. Royal st., Alex., Va.

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Mr. R. C. PIERCE having retired from the firm of PIERCE, LOVING, & CO., and Mr. E. G. BUCK, of Warren county, Va., having associated himself with the remaining partner, the business of the house will hereafter be conducted under the name and style of PIERCE LOVING & BUCK.

my 10-1f E. G. BUCK.

### UPHOLSTERY.

The subscriber is now doing all kinds of REPAIRING and UPHOLSTERY WORK with neatness, durability and dispatch, and to the entire satisfaction of all who may favor him with work. He will also attend to putting down Carpets and repairing Mattresses.

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At 83 King street, corner of Royal, the subscribers have on hand a large stock of goods in their line, which were bought before the great advance in prices—all of which they will sell at a small advance on the original cost. A trial is all we ask.

C. T. CRIGHTON & SON,  
my 1

### LAMP CHIMNEYS.

Seventy-five gross Fire-proof, Sun, Comet, O. K. and Hinge Chimneys; also Sun, Comet, Sun-hinge, Arand, Favorite, Orient and No-chimney Burners, just received at 65 King st.

mh 28-3m E. J. MILLER.

### SODA, VICHY AND KISSENGER WATER.

We have this day refitted our Arctic Fountain, and are now prepared to furnish the above Waters to our numerous customers.

COOK & CRIGHTON,  
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Our fourth supply just opened.

We have just opened a very large assortment of the above, in every variety of colors, with or without the torsion handle.

my 11 WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

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100 barrels EXTRA FLOUR.  
50 " SUPER " In store and for sale by  
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A lot of DIRTY SALT, suitable for agricultural purposes. For sale by  
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